**Situation Summary**

As containment levels continue to increase on fires across the state, impacted Oregonians are eager to know when it is safe to return home. Due to potential hazards and uncertain conditions, it is important residents follow the advice of local authorities before re-entry. Check road closures and conditions to know the safest way to travel by visiting the Oregon Department of Transportation TripCheck website.

**Need to Know**

If - after applying - you receive a letter from FEMA that says you are ineligible for housing assistance, it may be that FEMA simply needs more information. Learn about common reasons FEMA determines people to be ineligible.

Applicants who disagree with FEMA decisions also have the option to submit an appeal letter with additional documentation to have their case reconsidered. The appeal should include a letter explaining what they are appealing, be signed and dated and include supporting documentation, such as a copy of a verifiable contractor’s estimate.

Appeals should be submitted 60 days after the initial decision:

- **Mail:** FEMA’s Individuals and Households Program, National Processing Service Center, P.O. Box 10055, Hyattsville MD 20782-7055.
- **Fax:** 800-827-8112

**Information Resources**

Active fire dashboard  
Oregon Wildfire News  
Sign up for Individual Assistance  
Emergency management websites by County  
Tips for returning to a home that survived a wildfire

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**Human Impacts**

Confirmed fatalities: 9  
Source: Oregon State Medical Examiner

Missing persons: 5  
Source: Law Enforcement Data System (LEDS)

Sheltered persons: 2,526  
*Congregate: 312 | Non-Congregate: 2,214*  
Source: American Red Cross

Individual Assistance Registrants: 3,397  
Source: Federal Emergency Management Agency

**Daily Stats**

Acres burned (approx.): 1 million  
Source: Oregon Department of Forestry

Residences destroyed: 2,268  
Source: Integrated Reporting of Wildland-Fire Information (IRWIN)

Other structures destroyed: 1,556  
Source: Integrated Reporting of Wildland-Fire Information (IRWIN)
Individual assistance is available to people impacted by fires in Clackamas, Douglas, Jackson, Klamath, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, and Marion counties.

Public assistance is available in Benton, Clackamas, Columbia, Coos, Deschutes, Douglas, Jackson, Jefferson, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Multnomah, Tillamook, Wasco, Washington and Yamhill counties for publicly owned infrastructure impacted by the wildfires.

The American Red Cross is building wildfire clean up kits for residents to use when they return home. The wildfire kits contain relief items like a rake, shovel, work gloves, trash bags, face masks, tarpaulins and a sifter for finding personal items in the ashes.

If you would like to volunteer for this opportunity or others, you can sign up to volunteer at redcross.org/volunteer.